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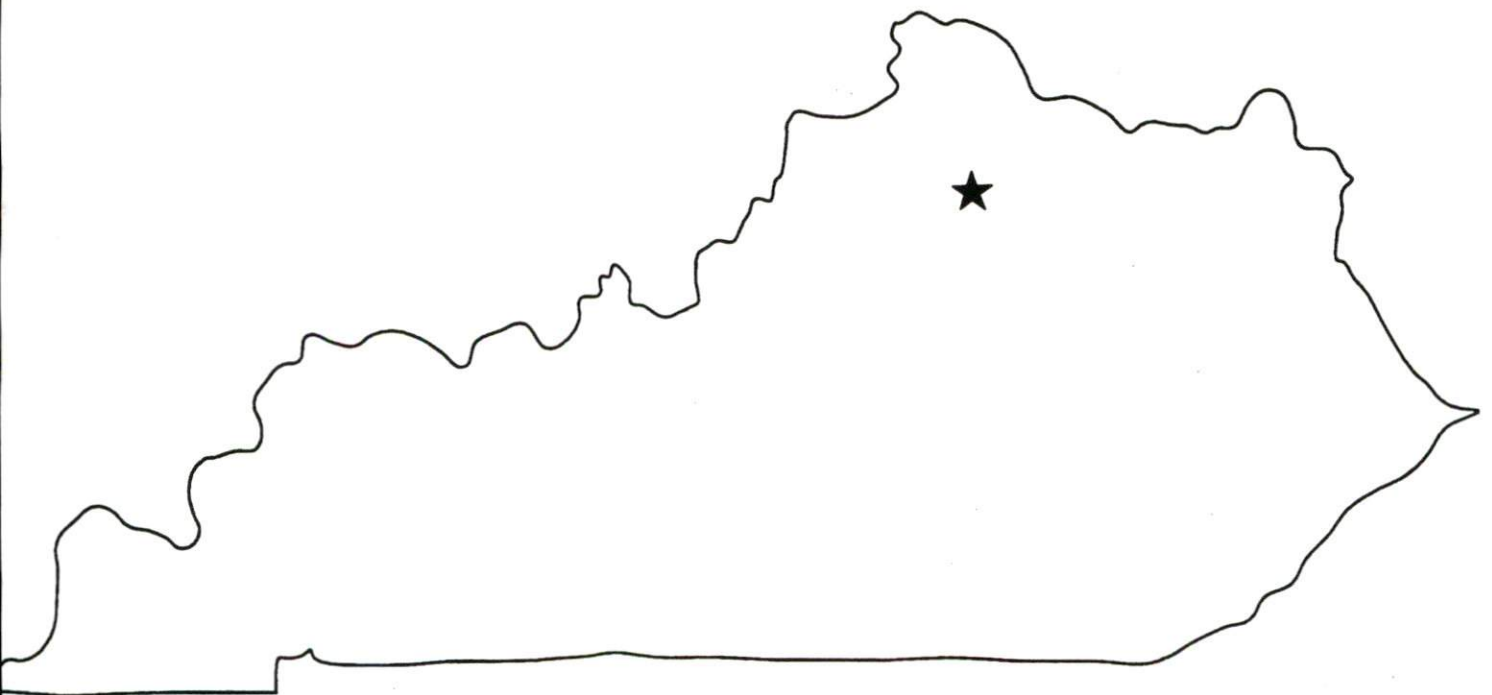
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# Kentucky

**Resources For  
Economic Development**

**Stamping Ground**



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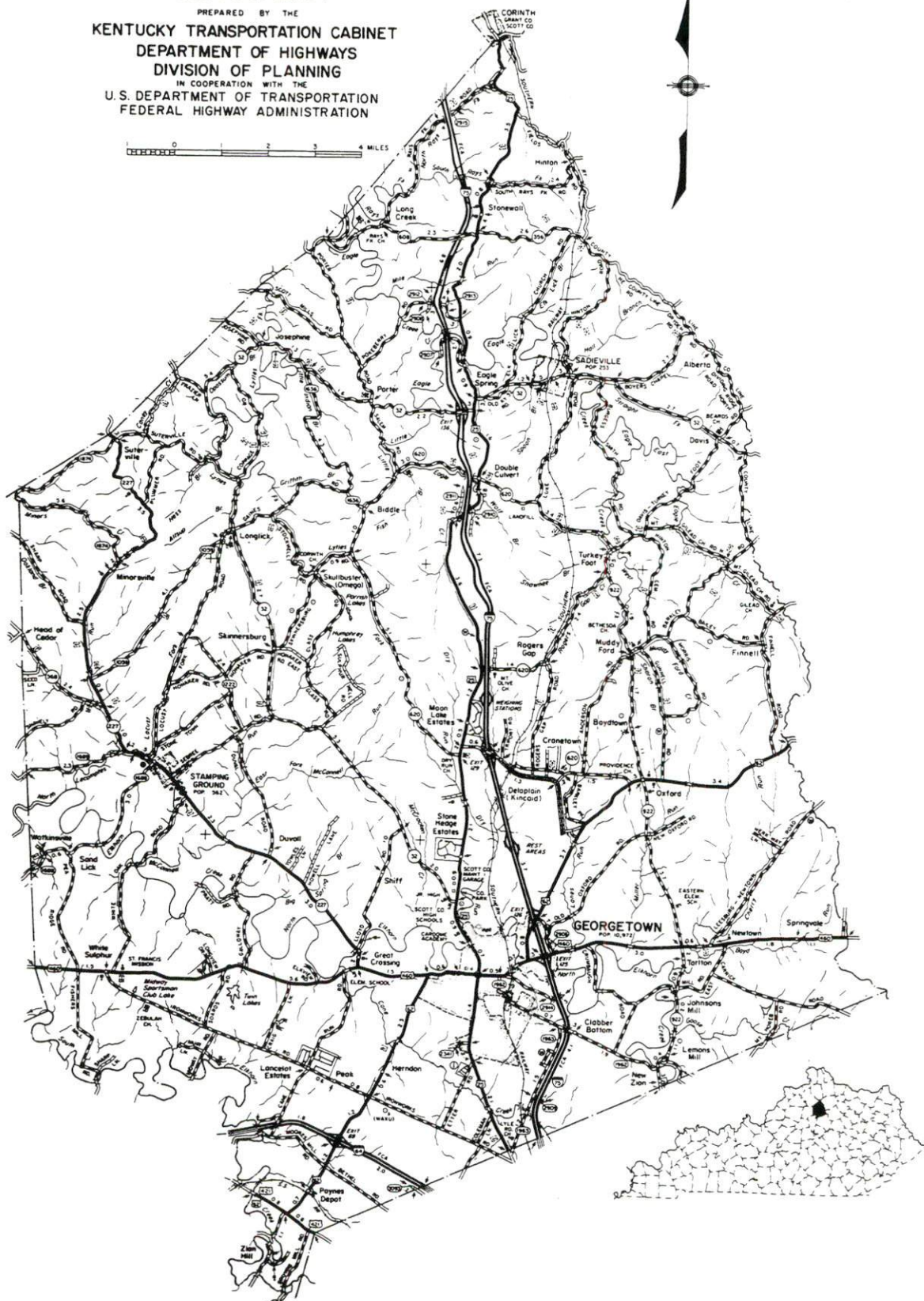
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GENERAL HIGHWAY MAP  
**SCOTT COUNTY**  
**KENTUCKY**

PREPARED BY THE  
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DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS  
DIVISION OF PLANNING  
IN COOPERATION WITH THE  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION

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## STAMPING GROUND, KENTUCKY - A RESOURCE PROFILE

Stamping Ground is located in central Kentucky's scenic Bluegrass Region, an area famous for its many beautiful horse farms and low rolling hills. Stamping Ground is located eight miles northwest of Georgetown, Kentucky, 23 miles northwest of Lexington, Kentucky; 61 miles east of Louisville, Kentucky; and 72 miles south of Cincinnati, Ohio. Stamping Ground's estimated 1994 population was 765.

Scott County, which covers a land area of 285 square miles, had a 1994 estimated population of 26,795.

**The Economic Framework** - The total number of Scott County residents employed in 1996 averaged 14,772. In 1995, manufacturing firms in the county reported 8,802 employees; wholesale and retail trade provided 2,753 jobs; 3,104 people were employed in service occupations; state and local government accounted for 1,294 employees; and contract construction firms provided 334 jobs.

**Labor Supply** - There is a current estimated labor supply of 9,145 persons available for industrial jobs in the labor market area. In addition, from 1998 through 2002, 24,922 young persons in the area will become 18 years of age and potentially available for industrial jobs.

**Transportation** - Stamping Ground is served by Kentucky Route 227, which connects with U.S. 460, six miles southeast of Stamping Ground. Access to Interstate 75 is available ten miles southeast of Stamping Ground near Georgetown. Sixteen common carrier trucking companies provide interstate and/or intrastate service to Stamping Ground. The nearest scheduled commercial airline service is available at Blue Grass Airport near Lexington, 27 miles southeast. Marshall Field, near Georgetown, maintains a 4,000-foot paved runway for small aircraft.

**Power and Fuel** - Kentucky Utilities Company provides electricity to Stamping Ground and parts of Scott County. The remainder of the county is served by East Kentucky Power through Harrison Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation and Owen Electric Cooperative.

**Education** - The Scott County Public School System provides primary and secondary education to Stamping Ground. One non-public school operates in the county. Eight institutions of higher learning are located within 50 miles of Stamping Ground. Vocational-technical training is available at the Central Kentucky Regional Technology Center in Lexington, Kentucky, 23 miles southeast, and at the Franklin County Area Technology Center in Frankfort, Kentucky, ten miles southwest of Stamping Ground.



With

MAJOR HIGHWAYS & RAILROAD SYSTEM

Shaded area denotes Labor Market Area.



## LABOR MARKET STATISTICS

The Stamping Ground Labor Market Area includes Scott County and the adjoining Kentucky counties of Bourbon, Fayette, Franklin, Grant, Harrison, Owen, and Woodford.

### POPULATION

	<u>1994*</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>1980</u>	<u>1970</u>
Labor Market Area	395,249	373,587	342,389	291,289
Stamping Ground	765	698	562	411
Scott County	26,795	23,867	21,813	17,948

\*Population estimates.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

### POPULATION PROJECTIONS

	<u>2000</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2020</u>
Labor Market Area	431,354	476,349	516,652
Scott County	29,558	33,016	35,856

Note: Population projections are from High Growth Series forecast.

Source: University of Louisville, Urban Studies Center, State Data Center.

### ESTIMATED LABOR SUPPLY

	<u>Current</u>			<u>Future</u>
	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unemployed</u>	<u>Not in Labor Force</u>	<u>Becoming 18 years of age 1998 thru 2002</u>
Labor Market Area*	9,145	6,272	2,873	24,922
Scott County	416	416	0	1,898

\* Additional workers may be drawn from other nearby counties.

Note: Unemployed - persons unemployed and actively seeking work; Not in Labor Force - represents the number of persons who would enter the labor force if suitable employment were available (based on the assumption that persons in Kentucky would like to participate in the labor force in the same proportion that they do nationally). Underemployed persons (employed only 14 to 26 weeks during the year) are no longer included in labor surplus estimates.

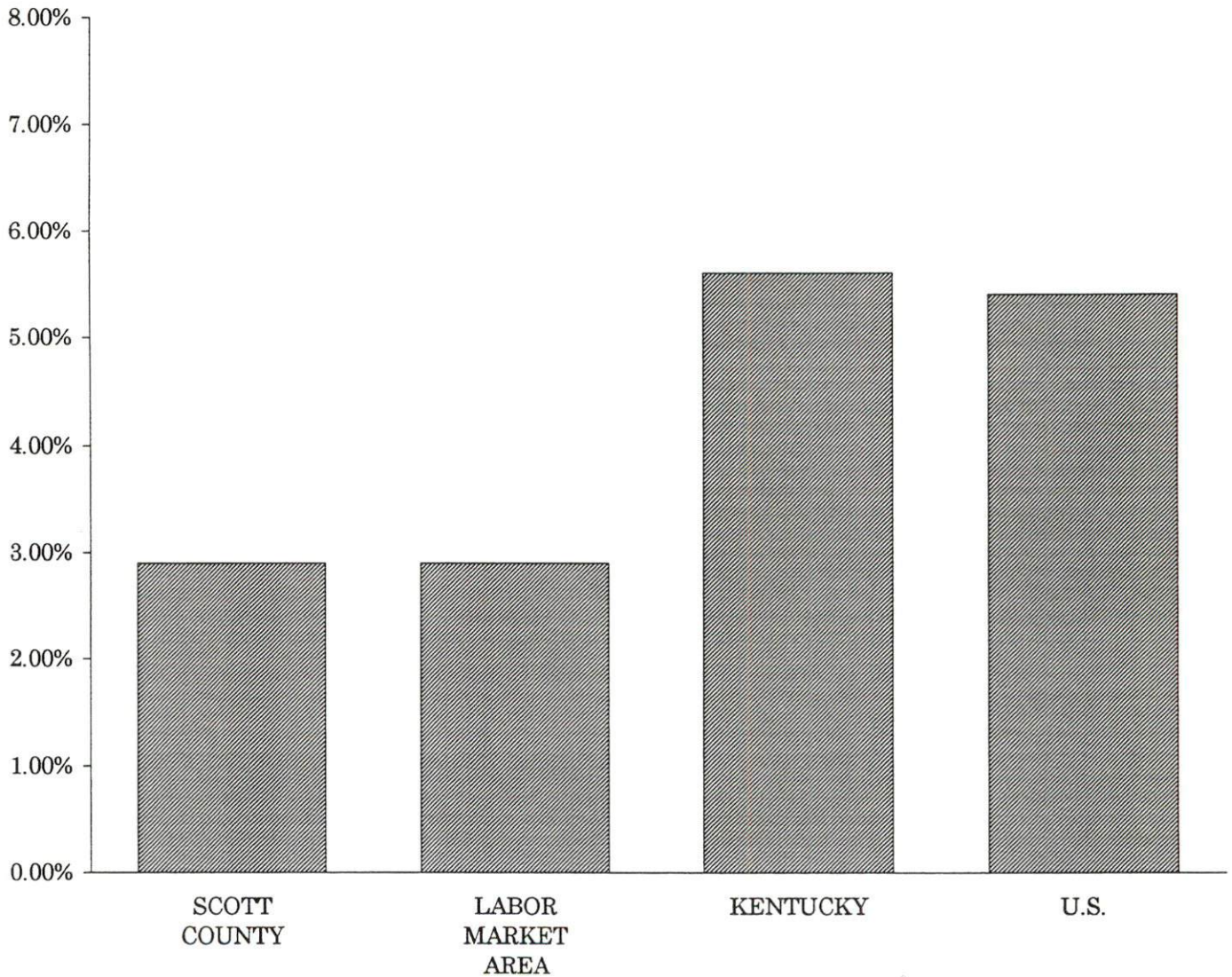
Sources: Kentucky Workforce Development Cabinet, Kentucky Labor Surplus Estimates by County, 1995. Kentucky Cabinet for Economic Development, Future Labor Supply Becoming 18 Years of Age, 1998 thru 2002.

# LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS OF RESIDENTS, 1996

	<u>Scott County</u>	<u>Labor Market Area</u>
Civilian Labor Force	15,220	219,501
Employment	14,772	213,038
Unemployment	448	6,463
Rate of Unemployment (%)	2.9	2.9

Source: Kentucky Workforce Development Cabinet, Kentucky Labor Force Estimates, Annual Averages 1996.

## UNEMPLOYMENT RATES 1996



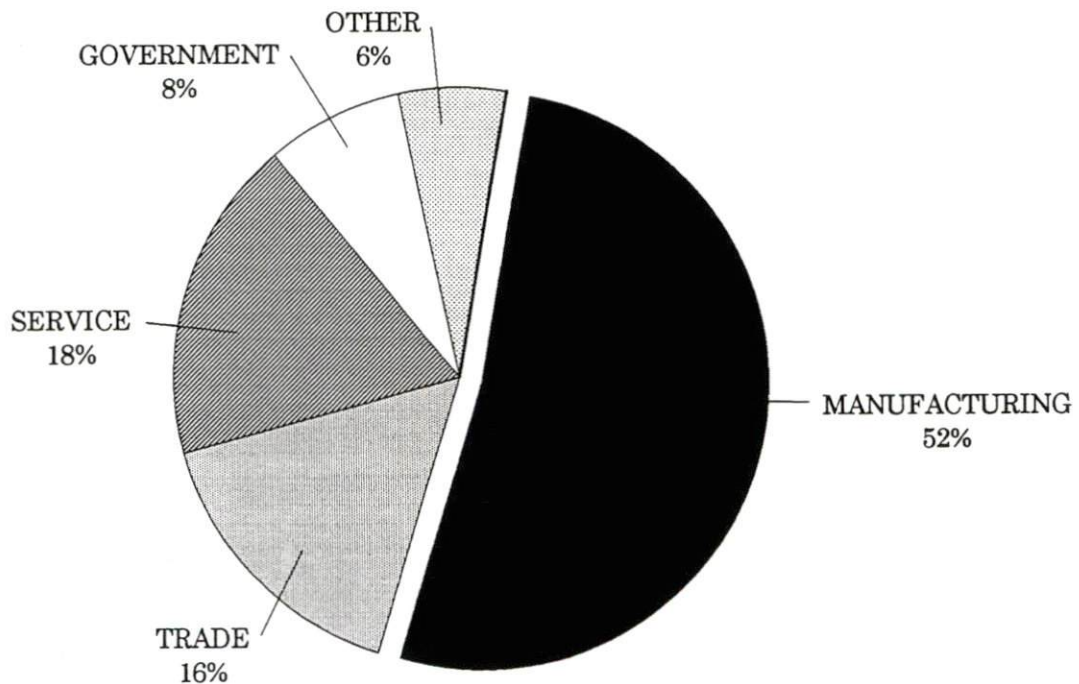
SELECTED COMPONENTS OF NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT  
BY PLACE OF WORK, 1995

	<u>Scott County</u>	<u>Labor Market Area</u>
All Industries (total)	17,086	222,058
Manufacturing	8,802	38,667
Wholesale & Retail Trade	2,753	52,681
Services	3,104	54,008
State/Local Government	1,294	43,531
Contract Construction	334	9,688

**Note:** Excludes domestic workers, railway workers, certain nonprofit corporations, majority of federal government workers, and self-employed workers.

**Source:** Kentucky Workforce Development Cabinet, Average Monthly Workers Covered by Kentucky Unemployment Insurance Law, 1995.

SCOTT COUNTY



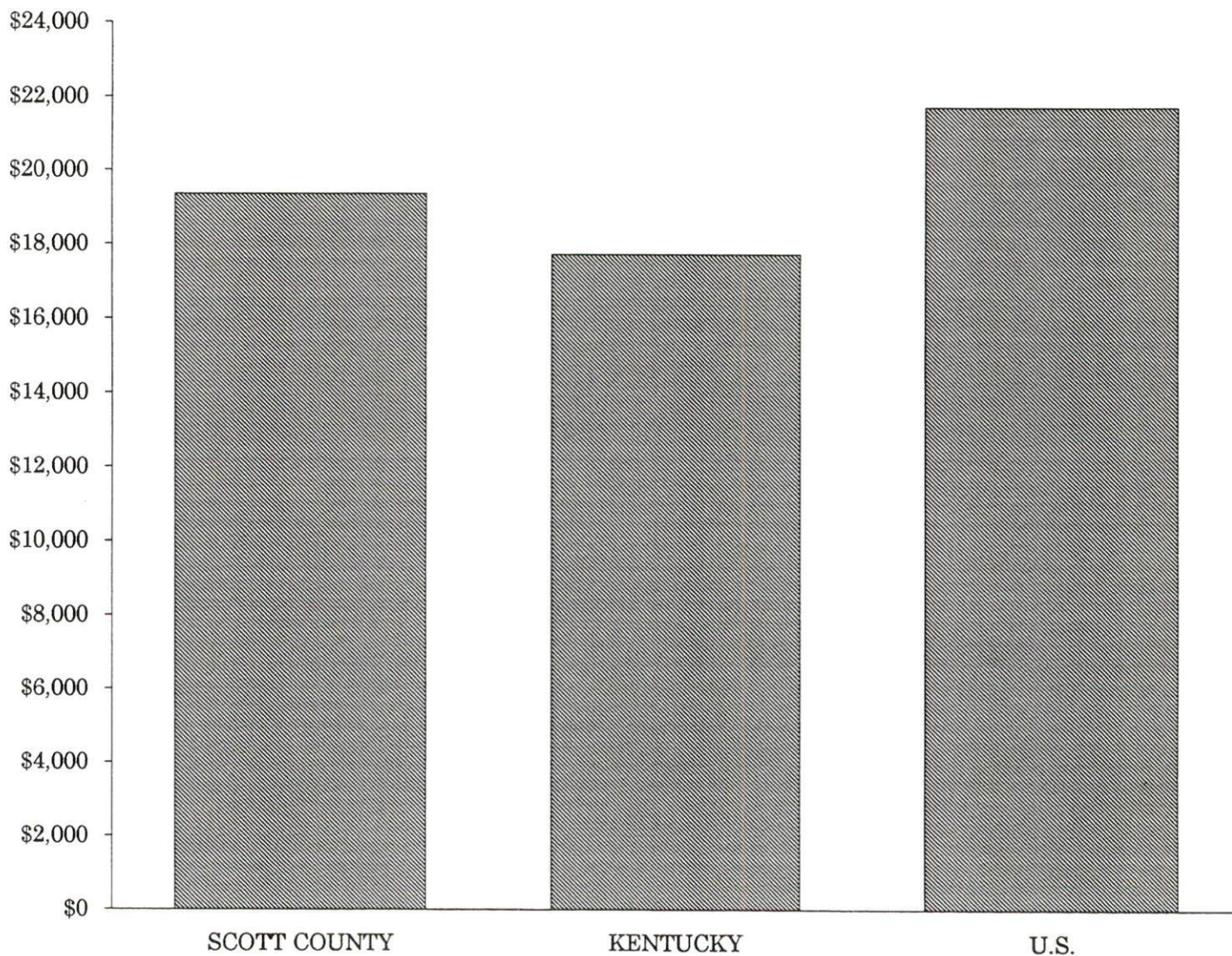


# PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

Area	1990	1994	Percent Change
Scott County	\$16,096	\$19,364	20.3
Labor Market Area Range	\$11,577 - \$20,541	\$13,976 - \$23,898	-
Kentucky	\$14,747	\$17,721	20.2
U.S.	\$18,666	\$21,696	16.2

**Source:** U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, Regional Economic Information System.

# PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME 1994





## AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGES

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Scott County is served by the Georgetown local office of the Kentucky Department for Employment Services. The focus of the following data is on job placements made by the Georgetown local office and may therefore be used as an indicator of the wages which employers in the area pay new employees. During the twelve months which ended on June 30, 1996, the local employment office filled 3,048 job openings in various occupational categories. The average hourly wage for selected occupational categories were:

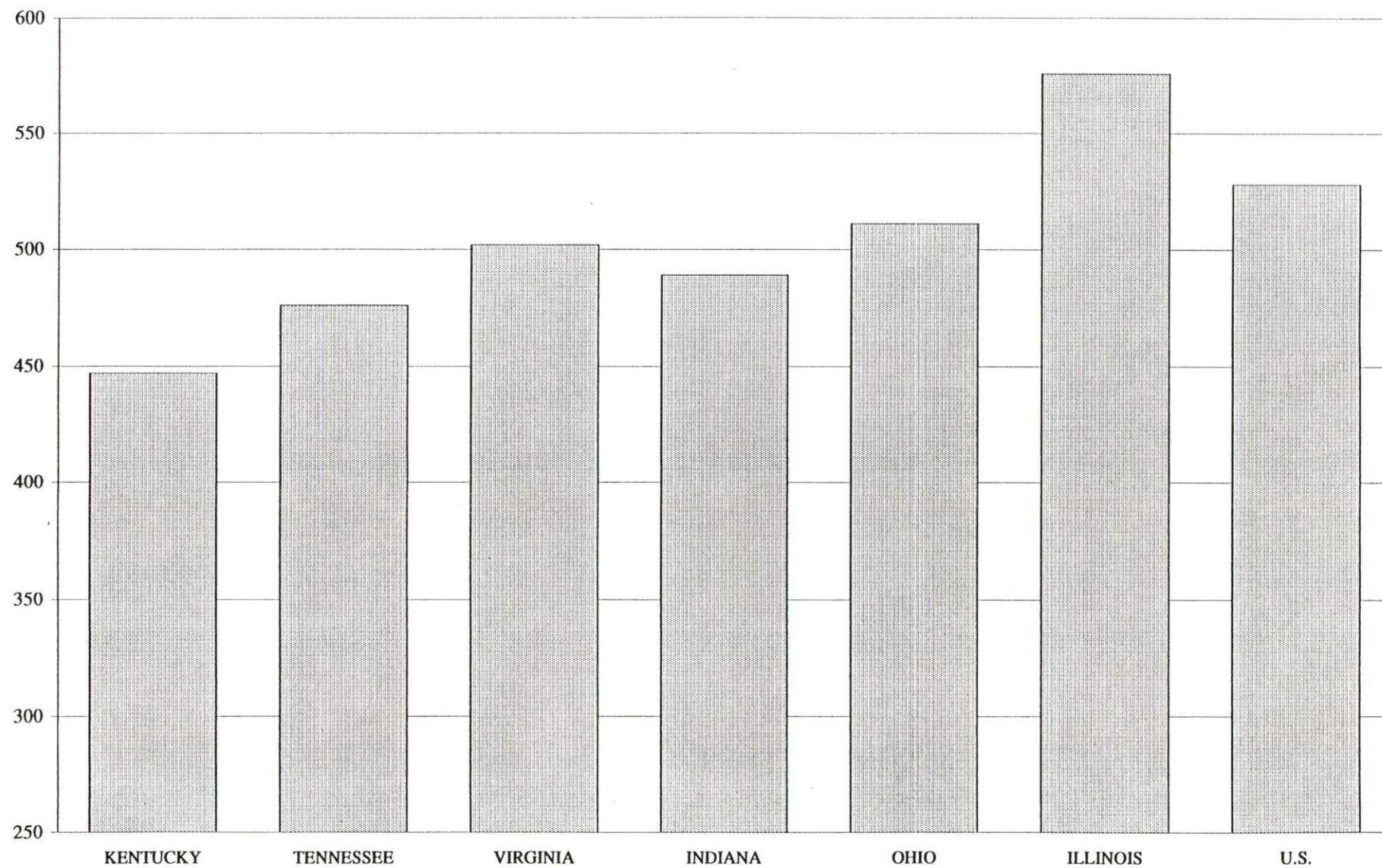
<u>OCCUPATIONAL CATEGORY</u>	<u>NUMBER OF PLACEMENTS</u>	<u>AVERAGE WAGE(\$)</u>
All Occupations	3,048	7.41
Clerical	60	6.26
Sales	6	4.54
Services (excluding domestic)	1,359	6.96
Agricultural, Fishery, Forestry, etc.	28	5.85
Processing	46	6.90
Machine Trades	261	7.65
Bench Work	889	6.81
Structural	183	12.25
Motor Freight/ Transportation	108	11.12
Packaging and Materials Handling	91	7.05
Other	1	8.00

The Georgetown local office also serves Bourbon, Harrison, and Nicholas Counties. The above occupational categories are taken from the Dictionary of Occupational Titles published by the U.S. Department of Labor.

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**Source:** Kentucky Workforce Development Cabinet, Department for Employment Services.

AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES OF WORKERS COVERED BY  
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE - 1995





AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES BY INDUSTRY  
BY PLACE OF WORK, 1995\*

	<u>Scott County</u>	<u>Kentucky (Statewide)</u>	<u>Tennessee</u>	<u>Virginia</u>
All Industries	\$622.67	\$447.03	\$476.00	\$502.00
Mining & Quarrying	N/A	739.22	671.00	736.00
Contract Construction	449.09	466.73	505.00	497.00
Manufacturing	895.41	577.94	559.00	589.00
Transportation, Communications & Public Utilities	769.18	586.90	612.00	679.00
Wholesale & Retail Trade	259.59	308.87	N/A	N/A
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	413.91	546.83	614.00	643.00
Services	297.73	404.99	459.00	524.00
State/Local Government	401.76	457.63	N/A	N/A
	<u>Indiana</u>	<u>Ohio</u>	<u>Illinois</u>	<u>U. S.</u>
All Industries	\$489.00	\$511.00	\$576.00	\$528.00
Mining & Quarrying	770.00	684.00	828.00	871.00
Contract Construction	558.00	569.00	699.00	562.00
Manufacturing	671.00	716.00	715.00	668.00
Transportation, Communications & Public Utilities	589.00	623.00	710.00	674.00
Wholesale & Retail Trade	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	552.00	601.00	815.00	742.00
Services	418.00	449.00	526.00	503.00
State/Local Government	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

\* Wages for U.S. and surrounding states rounded to nearest dollar.

N/A Not Available.

**Note:** The average weekly wage for each category includes the salaries and wages of all persons working for that type business. For example, the manufacturing category includes both production workers and administrative personnel. Excludes domestic workers, railway workers, certain nonprofit corporations, majority of federal government workers, and self-employed workers.

**Sources:** Kentucky Workforce Development Cabinet, Average Weekly Wages of Workers Covered by Kentucky Unemployment Insurance Law, 1995. U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Employment and Wages, Annual Averages, 1995, December 1996.

## EXISTING INDUSTRY

### SCOTT COUNTY MANUFACTURING FIRMS, THEIR PRODUCTS AND EMPLOYMENT

<u>Firm</u> <u>(Establishment date)</u>	<u>Product</u>	<u>1996</u> <u>Average Employment</u>
<b>Stamping Ground</b>		
Commonwealth Tool & Machine, Inc. (1984)	Machine tools, dies, tools, metal cutting, fabricated metal products, wire EDM	36
Wise Tool and Die Company (1978)	Tools, dies, jigs, fixtures and fabricated metal products	1
<b>Georgetown (100 or more employees)</b>		
Amp, Inc. (1962)	Electronic sub-assemblies, electronic wiring harnesses	225
Hoover Wire Products (1965)	Automotive seating components, bed and furniture springs, miscellaneous wire fabricated products	175
International Crankshaft, Inc. (1990)	Auto crankshafts, steel forgings	120
Johnson Controls, Inc., Auto Systems Group (1961)	Automotive seating assemblies	850
Johnson Controls/Foamech (1993)	Automotive seating components	450
Louisville Forge and Gear Works (1985)	Steel forgings, steering knuckles, crankshafts, gear blanks	360
Ropak Materials Handling, Inc. (1994)	Injection molding/containers	140
Toyota Motor Manufacturing Kentucky, Inc. (1986)	Four-door sedan automobiles, engines, axles	7,500

**Sources:** Kentucky Cabinet for Economic Development, Division of Research; Georgetown/Scott County Chamber of Commerce.

## LABOR ORGANIZATIONS IN MANUFACTURING FIRMS

There are currently no labor unions representing manufacturing workers in Scott County.



# SELECTED INDUSTRIAL SERVICES

<u>Types of Services</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Mileage from Stamping Ground</u>
Custom Plastics Producers	Georgetown, Kentucky	8
	Frankfort, Kentucky	10
Electric Motor Repair	Frankfort, Kentucky	10
Heat Treating Facilities	Georgetown, Kentucky	8
	Frankfort, Kentucky	10
Industrial Waste Removal	Georgetown, Kentucky	8
	Frankfort, Kentucky	10
Machine Shops, Tool & Die	Stamping Ground, Kentucky	-
Metal Castings	Cynthiana, Kentucky	29
Metal Finishers	Georgetown, Kentucky	8
Metal Service Centers	Lexington, Kentucky	23
Millwrights & Riggers	Lexington, Kentucky	23

**Source:** Kentucky Cabinet for Economic Development, Division of Research.

## TRANSPORTATION

### Highways

Stamping Ground is served by Kentucky Route 227, a AAA-rated (80,000-pound gross load limit) trucking highway, which connects with U.S. 460, six miles southwest of Stamping Ground. Access to Interstate 75 is available ten miles southeast of Stamping Ground near Georgetown. Interstate 64 is accessible 16 miles southwest of Stamping Ground near Frankfort.

#### HIGHWAY MILES FROM STAMPING GROUND, KENTUCKY, TO SELECTED MARKET CENTERS

City	Highway Miles	City	Highway Miles
Atlanta, GA	382	Los Angeles, CA	2,154
Baltimore, MD	563	Louisville, KY	63
Birmingham, AL	400	Nashville, TN	213
Chicago, IL	340	New Orleans, LA	735
Cincinnati, OH	81	New York, NY	746
Cleveland, OH	328	Pittsburgh, PA	380
Detroit, MI	341	St. Louis, MO	324
Knoxville, TN	192		

**Note:** Mileage computations are via the best interstate or primary highways, not necessarily the most direct route of travel.

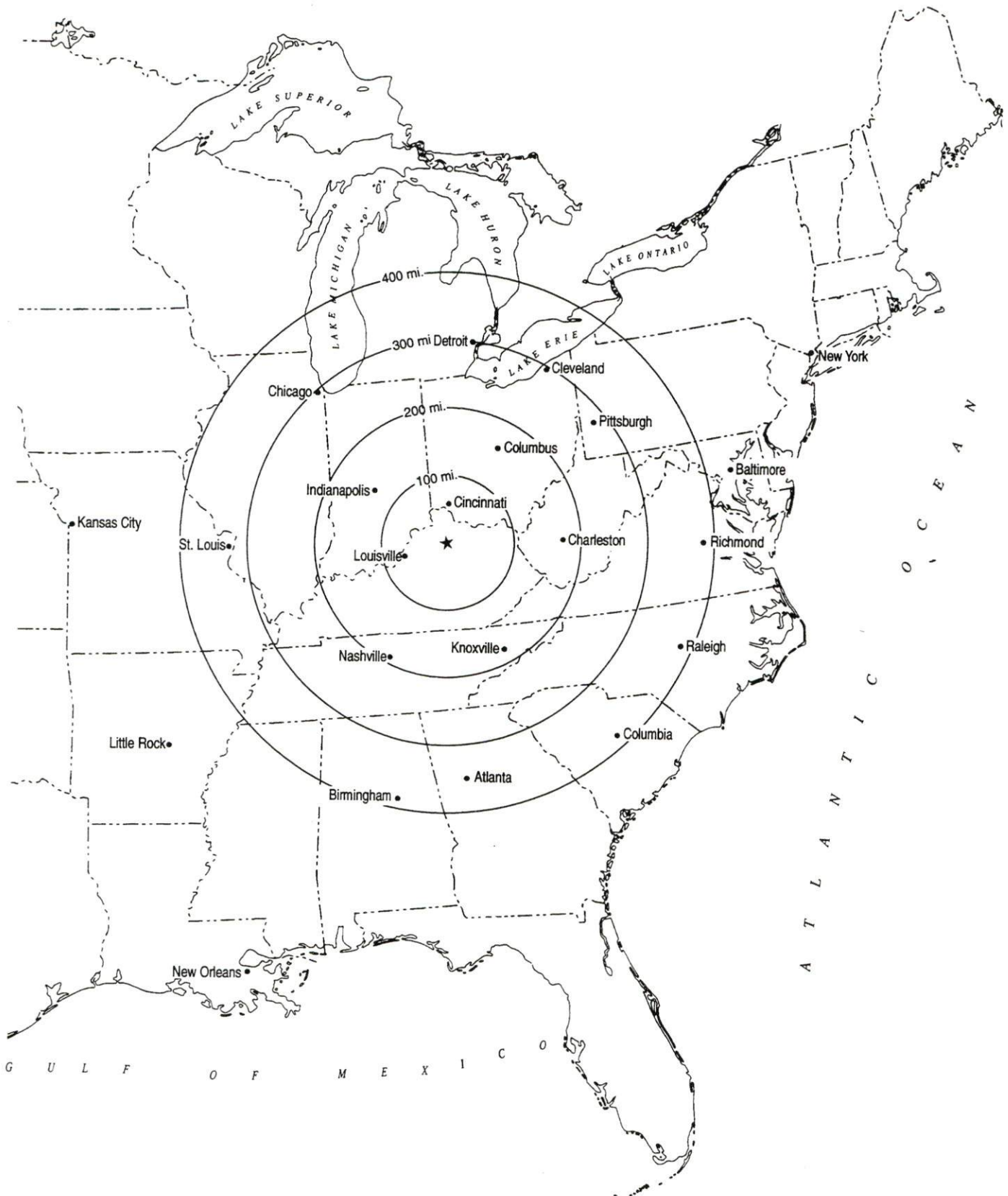
**Sources:** Rand McNally Standard Highway Mileage Guide, 1993. Official Kentucky Mileage Map, 1988.

### Truck Service

Sixteen common carrier trucking companies provide interstate and/or intrastate service to Stamping Ground.

**Source:** American Motor Carrier Directory, Spring 1997.

## Selected Market Centers



## Rail

The nearest main line rail service is provided by the Norfolk Southern Corporation at Georgetown, eight miles southeast of Stamping Ground. Intermodal facilities are also available at the Norfolk Southern facility in Georgetown.

For details on routing, schedules, rates, and services contact:

Industrial Development Manager  
Norfolk Southern Corporation  
Industrial Development Department  
The Tower Suite 2904  
611 Commerce Street  
Nashville, Tennessee 37203  
(615) 254-3398

## Air

### Local

Location:	Georgetown-Scott County Regional Airport 5 miles east of Georgetown; 13 miles southeast of Stamping Ground
Runways:	1 paved
Length:	4,000 feet
Traffic	
Control:	Wind sock, taxiway, unicom radio
Lighting:	Radio controlled lighting
Services:	100LL and jet-A fuels; tie-downs; flight instruction; rental aircraft; charter; car rental and taxi; aircraft maintenance

The Georgetown-Scott County Regional Airport plans a 1,500-foot runway extension.

### Nearest Scheduled Commercial Airline Service

Location:	Blue Grass Airport 4 miles west of Lexington, Kentucky; 27 miles south of Stamping Ground, Kentucky;
Air Service:	ASA, Comair, Continental Express, Delta, Northwest Airlinck, TW Express, United Express, US Airways
Daily Arrivals & Departures:	192



## UTILITIES

### Electricity

Company serving **Stamping Ground and parts of Scott County** - Kentucky Utilities Company

Source of power - Kentucky Utilities Company

For industrial rates contact:

Economic Development Department  
Kentucky Utilities Company  
One Quality Street  
Lexington, Kentucky 40507  
(606) 255-2100

Company serving **parts of Scott County** - Harrison Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation and  
Owen Electric Cooperative

Source of power - East Kentucky Power

For industrial rates contact:

Industrial Development Department  
East Kentucky Power  
P.O. Box 707  
Winchester, Kentucky 40392-0707  
(606) 744-4812

and/or

Harrison Rural Electric Cooperative  
Corporation  
P.O. Box 130  
Cynthiana, Kentucky 41031  
(606) 234-3131 or (800) 842-7481

and/or

Owen Electric Cooperative  
510 South Main Street  
Owenton, Kentucky 40359  
(502) 484-3471 or (800) 372-7612

### Natural Gas

Natural gas service is not available in Stamping Ground at the present time.

## Public Water Supply

Company serving **Stamping Ground** - Stamping Ground Water Company  
P.O. Box 29  
Stamping Ground, Kentucky 40379  
(502) 535-6114

Source of treated water -	North Elkhorn Water District
Amount that can be purchased -	200,000 gallons per day
Average daily consumption -	67,000 gallons
Peak daily consumption -	100,000 gallons
Storage capacity -	150,000 gallons
Water pressure -	85 psi to 92 psi

## Sewerage

Company serving **Stamping Ground** - Stamping Ground Wastewater Company  
P.O. Box 29  
Stamping Ground, Kentucky 40379  
(502) 535-6114

Design capacity -	100,000 gallons per day
Average daily flow -	85,000 gallons
Type of treatment -	Primary
Treated effluent discharged into -	Locust Fork Creek

## CLIMATE

### Scott County

#### Temperature

Normal (29-year record)	54.90 degrees
Average annual 1995	54.90 degrees
Record highest, July 1988 (51-year record)	103.00 degrees
Record lowest, January 1963 (51-year record)	-21.00 degrees
Normal heating degree days (29-year record)	4,783
(Heating degree day totals are the sums of negative departures of average daily temperatures from 65 degrees F.)	

#### Precipitation

Normal (29-year record)	44.55 inches
Mean annual snowfall (50-year record)	15.80 inches
Total precipitation 1995	50.08 inches
Mean number days precipitation (.01 inch or more) (51-year record)	129.60
Mean number days thunderstorms (51-year record)	44.40

<u>Prevailing Winds</u> (through 1963)	South
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#### Relative Humidity (31-year record)

1 a.m.	78 percent (31-year record)
7 a.m.	82 percent (32-year record)
1 p.m.	60 percent (32-year record)
7 p.m.	64 percent (32-year record)

**Source:** U.S. Department of Commerce, Environmental Science Services Administration, Climatological Data, 1995. Station of record: Lexington, Kentucky.

## **LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

### **Structure**

The City of Stamping Ground is governed by a mayor and four commission members. The mayor is elected to a four-year term while the commissioners serve two-year terms. Scott County is governed by a county judge/executive and three commissioners. Each county official serves a four-year term.

### **Planning and Zoning**

Joint agency - Georgetown-Scott County Joint Planning Commission

Participating cities - Georgetown, Stamping Ground, and Sadieville

Zoning enforced - All areas

Subdivision regulations enforced - All areas

Local codes enforced - Building and housing

Mandatory state codes enforced - Kentucky Plumbing Code, National

Electric Code, Kentucky Boiler Regulations and Standards, Kentucky

Building Code (modeled after BOCA code)

### **Local Fees and Licenses**

The City of Stamping Ground levies a \$40 business license fee annually and a \$50 per year unloading license fee.

Scott County levies a one percent occupational license tax on wages, salaries, and commissions of individuals and on net profits of businesses. The first \$10,000 of net profits of businesses is exempt.

The Scott County School System levies a one-half of one percent occupational license tax on wages, salaries, and commissions of individuals employed within the school district and on the net profits of businesses within the district. Non-residents employed within the school district are exempt from this tax.



## **PROPERTY TAXES**

The Kentucky Constitution requires the state to tax all classes of taxable property, and state statutes allow local jurisdictions to tax only a few classes. All locally taxed property is subject to county taxes and school district taxes (either a county school district or an independent school district). Property located inside of city limits may also be subject to city property taxes.

Special local taxing jurisdictions (fire protection districts, watershed districts, and sanitation districts) levy taxes within their operating areas (usually a small portion of community or county).

Property assessments in Kentucky are at 100% fair cash value. Accounts receivable are taxed at 85% of face value.

### **STATE PROPERTY TAX RATES PER \$100 VALUATION**

<u>Selected Classes of Property</u>	<u>1996 State Rate</u>	<u>Local Taxation Permitted</u>
Real Estate	\$0.163	YES
Manufacturing Machinery	0.150	NO
Pollution Control Equipment	0.150	NO
Inventories		
Raw Materials	0.050	NO
Goods in Process	0.050	NO
Finished Goods	0.050	YES
Motor Vehicles	0.450	YES
Other Tangible Personal Property	0.450	YES
Intangibles (Accounts Receivable, Money on Hand)	0.250	NO

### **LOCAL PROPERTY TAX RATES PER \$100 VALUATION, 1996**

<u>Taxing Jurisdiction</u>	<u>Real Estate</u>	<u>Finished Goods &amp; Tangibles</u>	<u>Motor Vehicles</u>
Scott County	\$0.1812	\$0.2317	\$0.2740
School District:			
Scott County	0.3190	0.3290	0.5480
City:			
Stamping Ground	0.2430	0.3200	0.4000

## EDUCATION

### Public Schools

#### Scott County

Total Enrollment (Fall, 1996)	5,053
Accreditation	Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
Pupil-Teacher Ratio (1995-96)	15.7-1
Percent High School Graduates to College (1995-96)	59.0
Expenditures Per Pupil (1995-96)	\$4,540.25

The new Scott County High School opened in September, 1996. Support and funding for construction of the high school was provided through the formation of several diverse partnerships involving the entire community. Total funding from all sources for the project was more than \$20 million.

A number of other partnerships developed including a special partnership between Scott County High School and the newly created Scott County Ninth Grade Center. The Scott County Ninth Grade Center is the only school in the state whose sole mission is to meet the special needs of ninth graders.

### Nonpublic Schools

<u>School</u>	<u>Enrollment</u>	<u>Grades</u>
St. John Elementary	115	K-5

### Area Colleges and Universities

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location (Miles from Stamping Ground)</u>	<u>Enrollment (Fall, 1996)</u>
Georgetown College	Georgetown, Kentucky (8)	1,514
Kentucky State University	Frankfort, Kentucky (10)	2,356
Midway College	Midway, Kentucky (13)	1,021
Lexington Community College	Lexington, Kentucky (23)	5,500
Transylvania University	Lexington, Kentucky (23)	979
University of Kentucky	Lexington, Kentucky (23)	24,061
Asbury College	Wilmore, Kentucky (43)	1,131
Eastern Kentucky University	Richmond, Kentucky (47)	15,161

## VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL TRAINING

Kentucky Tech schools are operated by the Cabinet for Workforce Development and provide secondary (Sec) and postsecondary (P/S) vocational-technical training.

	Location (Mileage from Stamping Ground)	Number of Program Offerings	Enrollment 1995-1996		Approximate Number Completing Programs Annually
<u>Kentucky Tech Schools</u>			<u>Sec</u>	<u>P/S</u>	
Central Kentucky Regional Technology Center	Lexington (23)	26	N/A	909	350
Franklin County Area Technology Center	Frankfort (10)	5	<u>Sec</u> 88	<u>P/S</u> N/A	29

### Customized Training

The Kentucky Tech system, through its training and development coordinators, will provide technical assistance and will identify and develop low-cost customized training programs and services for both established and prospective businesses. Businesses wanting to establish a customized training program should contact a training and development coordinator located at the Central Kentucky Regional Technology Center in Lexington.

### Assessment Services

Kentucky Tech Career Connections offers to business, education, and government agencies testing packages for evaluating job applicants, selecting employees for promotional consideration and developing training programs within the organization. A Career Connections Assessment Center is located at the Central Kentucky Regional Technology Center in Lexington.

### Adult Education Services

Adult education programs are available to adults who want to develop new academic skills, improve basic skills, or earn a high school equivalence diploma. In Stamping Ground, adult basic education and adult literacy are administered through the Scott County School System.

### Bluegrass State Skills Corporation

The Bluegrass State Skills Corporation (BSSC), an independent public corporation created and funded by the Kentucky General Assembly, provides programs of skills training to meet the needs of business and industry. Programs range from entry level for new workers to advanced training for experienced employees.

The Bluegrass State Skills Corporation is a major source for skills training assistance for new and existing companies. BSSC works in partnership with other employment and job training resources and programs, as well as Kentucky's economic development activities, to package programs customized to meet the specific needs of a company.



## OTHER LOCAL FACILITIES

### Local

Physicians - 25

Dentists - 12

### Hospitals

<u>General Hospital</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Beds</u>
Columbia Hospital Georgetown	Georgetown, Kentucky eight miles southeast of Stamping Ground	75

Medical staff - 24 active staff physicians and 34 courtesy staff physicians, 79 registered nurses, and 5 licensed practical nurses

### Other Medical Facilities and Services

WEDCO District Health Department,  
Scott County Health Center  
(a public health facility)  
Bluegrass West Comprehensive Care Center,  
Scott County Office  
Scott County Home Health Agency  
Georgetown - Scott County Ambulance Service

### Banks and Savings & Loan Associations

Farmers Bank and Trust Company

### Newspapers

Georgetown News Graphic (three times a week)  
The Scott Shopper (weekly)

### Telephone Service

BellSouth

"911" emergency communications system

## RECREATION

### Local

A wide variety of recreational opportunities are available to residents of Stamping Ground. The Scott County Parks and Recreational Board schedules supervised recreational programs each summer at the Stamping Ground Elementary School and the Stamping Ground Park. Facilities at the school include a gymnasium, a playground, ball fields, walking and running trails, and a picnic shelter with concession stand and restrooms. The Stamping Ground Park is also the site for summer basketball tournaments and softball leagues.

In Scott County, the Ed Davis Playground features playground equipment, a recreation building, two basketball courts, horseshoe pits, and a picnic shelter. The Buffalo Springs Park consists of two acres of passive recreation. Features at the 12-acre Suffoletta Park include a swimming pool, tennis courts, basketball and volleyball courts, four baseball fields, a horseshoe pitching complex, a picnic pavilion, picnic tables, and playground equipment. Marshall Park features a softball field, a youth football/soccer field, and playground equipment.

The 90-acre Scott County Community Park has baseball, softball and soccer fields; tennis, basketball and volleyball courts; and a lighted horse show ring with a show barn. The park also includes a picnic area, several playground areas, a lighted regulation-size croquet court, a tractor-pull area, a concession/multi-purpose building, and parking.

The Georgetown-Scott County Parks and Recreation Board sponsors youth sports programs in baseball, soccer, T-ball, basketball, swimming, tennis, and ponytail softball. The board sponsors a supervised summer playground program at four locations for children ages 6 to 15, a summer camp for handicapped children, and a year-round supervised latchkey service is offered at the Ed Davis Recreation Building. The board also offers Red Cross-approved swimming lessons and sponsors a 10K race and two tennis tournaments yearly. During the evening hours, the community pool may be rented for private parties. Adult programs are offered in men's, women's co-recreational, and church softball; men's, women's, and co-recreational volleyball; men's basketball; square dance classes; horseshoe pitching leagues; and tennis lessons and leagues.

### Area (within 55 miles)

Blue Licks Battlefield State Park  
Boonesborough State Park  
General Butler State Resort Park  
Herrington Lake  
Kincaid Lake State park  
Old Fort Harrod State Park  
Pleasant Hill (Shakertown)  
The Kentucky Horse Park  
Waveland State Historic Site  
White Hall State Historic Site